

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2023 ROCKPORT HIGH SCHOOL

Recap of Articles Pass / Fail

Passed Article I: Balance or supplement the FY23 budget

Passed Article II: Appropriate and transfer from the SPED Stabilization fund to the School Department

Private Tuitions Account to defray Special Education expenses

Passed Article III: Appropriate and transfer a sum of money to fund otherwise unanticipated costs of

coping with the COVID-19 pandemic

Passed Article 1: Designate the Treasurer to be the agent for the various trust funds for the Town

Passed Article 2: Appropriate by transfer a sum of money to pay unpaid bills of previous years

No Motion Article 3: No motion

Article 4: Amend or revise certain compensation schedules

Passed Article 4, 1st Motion: A. Compensation Schedules A, B, D and H for salaried employees; and

Passed Article 4, 2nd Motion: B. Compensation Schedule C for elected officials;

Passed Article 5: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds,

sums of money for any and all Town expenses all for the Fiscal Year beginning on July 1, 2023

through June 30, 2024

Passed Article 5A: Appropriate or transfer from available funds sums of money for operation of the

Town's water enterprise for FY24

Passed Article 5B: Appropriate or transfer from available funds sums of money for operation of the

Town's sewer enterprise for FY24

Passed Article 5C: Appropriate and transfer, a sum of money for expenses of the Community Preservation

Committee

Passed Article 6: Raise and appropriate for Capital Outlay Items

Passed Article 6A: Appropriate and transfer for Capital Outlay Items for the Water Enterprise

Passed Article 6B: Appropriate for Capital Outlay Items for the Sewer Enterprise

Passed Article B (7): Expend a sum of money under provisions of M.G.L. Ch. 90

Passed Article C (8): Raise and appropriate funds for charitable organizations

Passed Article D (9): Raise and appropriate or appropriate by transfer funds for future expenditures

Passed Article E (10): Appropriate and transfer funds for Assessor Revaluation Expenses

Passed Article F (11): Create Opioid Settlement Stabilization Fund

Passed Article A (12): Accept the reports as printed in the 2022 Annual Town Report

Passed Article EE (13): Hear, receive report of Ad Hoc Water Committee

Passed Article J (14): Zoning By-Law amendments section Area and Dimensions Regulations

Failed Article K (15): Zoning By-Law amendments section Parking Requirements

Failed Article CC (16): Citizen Petition – delete Parking Requirements

Passed Article 17 (L): Zoning By-Law amendments section Special Regulations

Passed Article 18 (M): Zoning By-Law amendments section Water Supply Protection Overlay District

Failed Article 19 (N): Zoning By-Law amendments section Coastal Flood Plain District

Passed Article 20 (O): Zoning By-Law amendments section Solar Photovoltaic Installation

Passed Article 21 (P): Zoning By-Law amendments section Removal and Filling-in

Passed Article 22 (Q): Zoning By-Law amendments section Site Plan Review

Passed Article 23 (R): Zoning By-Law amendments section Administration

Failed Article 24 (BB): Citizen Petition ADU 12 months vs 6 months

No Motion Article 25 (DD): Citizen Petition re: septic systems in OSRD

Failed Article 26 (T): Citizen Petition "Multiple Offices"

Passed Article 27 (H): Citizen Petition – Citizen petition, 20 verified signatures

Failed Article 28 (V): Citizen Petition - Delete 48hr amendments anticipated

Passed Article 29 (W): Citizen Petition – Moderator to state why non-binding

Failed Article 30 (Z): Citizen Petition – 150 registered voters quorum for ATM

Failed Article 31 (S): Citizen Petition – Call the question, moderator end debate

Passed Article 32 (FF): Citizen Petition –Answer any citizen questions related to article

Referred Article 33 (AA): Citizen Petition – Recall provision (Referred to GBLC for study)

Failed Article 34 (I): Citizen Petition – Term limits, all elected officials

Failed Article 35 (U): Citizen Petition – Amend wording in Chapter 7 of General By-laws

Passed Article 36 (X): Citizen Petition - Residents may serve on any number of multiple bodies

Passed Article 37 (Y): Citizen Petition – No limit on the number of boards and committees

Passed Article 38 (G): General By-Law Chapter 14F Plastics Prohibition